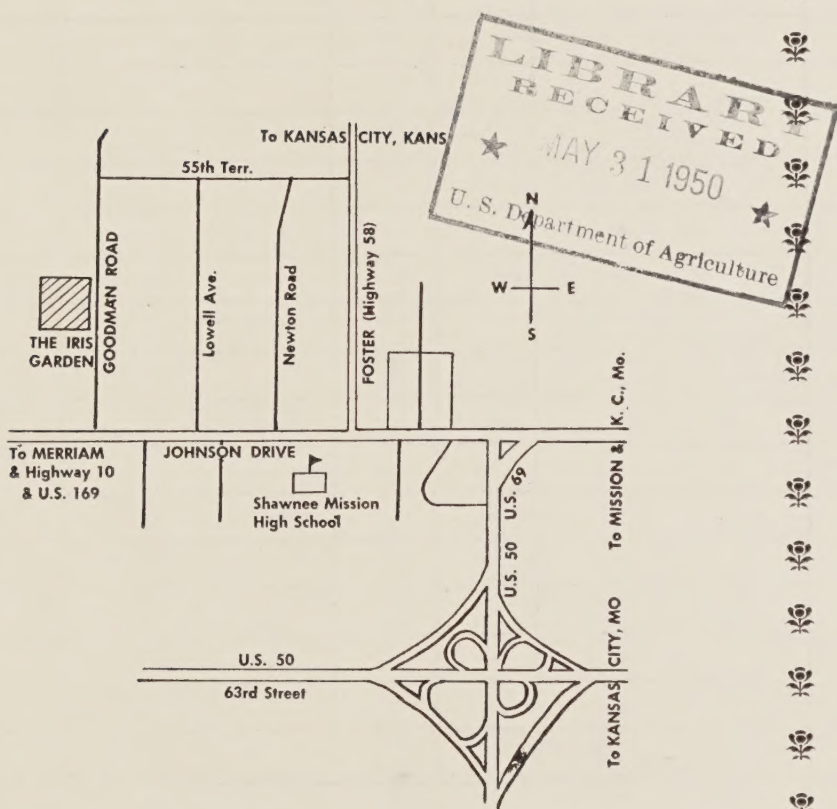


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THE IRIS GARDEN

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The mid century finds us with iris that date from Princess Beatrice (Barr 1898) to Helen McGregor, Dykes Medal 1949 and Pinnacle and Heritage, introduced in 1949. We are proud of every one of them. In the unlikely event that we shall be still growing iris at the turn of the century, it is interesting to speculate how many and which ones we shall still preserve along with Princess Beatrice.

The following have become eligible to the Twenty Year Club: Mrs. L. B. Darragh, Delphi, Ind.; Miss Martha E. Bradstreet, Beverley, Mass.; Mr. Jacob Eberline, Wyandotte, Mich.; Mrs. Paul W. Leeper, Denison, Tex.; Mr. Harry O. Sandberg, Oak Park, Ill.; and Mrs. W. R. Kroh and Mrs. F. N. Sewall, Kansas City, Mo. Appropriate prizes will be sent them in August.

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Action Front—Copper Red.....	1.00	Fair Elaine—Clean yellow bitone.....	.50
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Afar—Light orange pink.....	7.50	Firecracker—Red plicata.....	3.00
Alba Superba—Heavy white.....	2.50	Flamely—Red flame indeed.....	1.00
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Aubanel—Pink blend.....	.50	Goldbeater—Chrome yellow.....	2.00
Azure Skies—Ruffled light blue.....	1.00	Golden Eagle—Huge light yellow.....	1.00
Balmung—Yellow marked brown.....	.75	Golden Fleece—Lemon and cream.....	1.00
Bandmaster—Powder Blue.....	2.00	Golden Lustre—Early clear yellow.....	2.00
Berkeley Gold—Deep yellow.....	1.00	Golden Majesty—Late deep yellow.....	.35
Black Banner—Rich, dark purple.....	2.50	Golden Russet—Huge blend.....	5.00
Black Forest—Blackest purple.....	3.50	Golden Spangle—Darker Golden Fleece..	.50
Black Valor—Dark purple.....	1.00	Golden Spike—Larger Golden Hind.....	.75
Blue Rhythm—Fine medium blue.....	4.00	Golden Treasure—Cream with gold heart	.35
Blue Shimmer—White marked blue.....	1.50	Grace Mohr—Darker William Mohr.....	.50
Blue Valley—Perhaps the bluest.....	10.00	Great Lakes—Fine light blue.....	.75
Blue Zenith—Good medium blue.....	.75	Gypsy—Gold and brown variegata.....	1.50
Bright Lights—Yellow and white plicata.	3.00	Helen McGregor—Light blue; 1949 Dykes	8.00
Bryce Canyon—Henna copper blend...	3.50	Heritage—Deeper flamingo pink.....	15.00
Buffawn—Tangerine bearded buff.....	.50	Illinois—Light yellow.....	10.00
Burgandy Rose—Huge reddish mulberry.	3.00	Indiana Night—Blue black bitone.....	2.50
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Caroline Burr—Ivory washed greenish...	1.00	Jake—Fine hardy white.....	.50
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